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SUBJECT: MBFR: FLANK SECURITY

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1. WHILE WE AGREE WITH THRUST OF SPC EFFORT TO COMPROMISE ON FLANK SECURITY ISSUE AS REPORTED REFTEL, WE WOULD LIKE TO DELETE WORDS WHICH TEND TO CHARACTERIZE KINDS OF NON-CIRCUMVENTION PROPOSALS AND CONCERNS WHICH ALLIES MAY HAVE IN MIND. WE WOULD PREFER AT THIS TIME TO INDICATE TO EAST SIMPLY THAT WE WILL HAVE OTHER NON-CIRCUMVENTION PROPOSALS TO GIVE THEM.

2. FYI: UNTIL QUESTION OF NON-CIRCUMVENTION HAS BEEN DISCUSSED IN MORE DETAIL IN NATO, WE WOULD LIKE TO AVOID REFERENCES TO COMPREHENSIVE OR GENERAL NON-CIRCUMVENTION PROVISIONS. WHETHER A GENERAL NON-CIRCUMVENTION PROVISION, AS OPPOSED TO ONE OR MORE SPECIFIC NON-CIRCUMVENTION CLAUSES, IS IN INTEREST OF ALLIANCE REMAINS TO BE DETERMINED. END FYI.

3. HENCE, YOU SHOULD SUPPORT SPC COMPROMISA (PARA 2 REFTEL) AMENDED TO READ: "(THE ALLIED NEGOTIATORS SHOULD) MAKE IT CLEAR TO THE WARSAW PACT THAT, IN ADDITION TO THE

NON-CIRCUMVENTION ASPECTS OF FLANK SECURITY, THE ALLIES WILL MAKE PROPOSALS IN DUE COURSE TO MEET OTHER NON-CIRCUMVENTION CONCERNS OF ALL WESTERN PARTICIPANTS IN THE NEGOTIATIONS." KISSINGER

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